GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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RURAL ELECTRIFICATION IN ANDHRA PRADESH
DUMPA MARY VIJAYAKUMARI;KINJARAPU YERRANNAIDU

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Rural Electrification Corporation has agreed to lend Rs.550 crore toAndhra Pradesh for rural electrification during the current year; and

(b) if so, the time by which this amount is likely to be released?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA)

(a) & (b) : During the current financial year i.e. 2002-03, so far no proposal for lending to Andhra Pradesh for Rural Electrification programme in the State has been received by Rural Electrification Corporation (REC).However, REC had released anamount of Rs.702.82 crores during 2001-02 to Andhra Pradesh Transmission Corporation (APTRANSCO) for rural electrification programme based on the disbursement claims received from them.